

September 10, 2003

MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDING OFFICERS OF MILITARY DEPARTMENTS AND
DOD COMPONENT INSTALLATIONS IN THE ANCHORAGE,
ALASKA WAGE AREA

SUBJECT: Nonappropriated Fund (NAF) Special Wage Rate Ranges- Anchorage, Alaska
Wage Area #118

This letter amends the regular Wage Schedule #016 for the Anchorage, Alaska wage area in accordance with the Office of Personnel Management letters dated June 7, 1996 and September 13, 2002, which authorized special rate ranges for Small Craft Operator and Marine Engine Mechanic. The special rate ranges shown below have been established under the authority of DoD Directive 5120.42 "Department of Defense Wage Fixing Authority – Nonappropriated Fund Compensation Programs," and 5 CFR 532.251 and 532.253.

<u>OCCUPATION (S)</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>STEP</u> 1	<u>STEP</u> 2	<u>STEP</u> 3	<u>STEP</u> 4	<u>STEP</u> 5
NA-5786 Small Craft Operator	9	23.08	24.04	25.01	25.96	26.93
NA-8610 Marine Engine Mechanic	10	20.38	21.23	22.08	22.93	23.78

These new rates comply with CPM 2003-04, dated April 2, 2003, which restricts increases to a 4.31% maximum over current rates. The effective date is September 13, 2003. The order date for the 2003 wage survey was July 7, 2003.

This special rates amendment will expire when the next survey-based regular schedule is issued. In order to continue the authorization, the affected components are required to comply with the provisions of Subchapter S12-6b of the OPM Operating Manual – Federal Wage System, Nonappropriated Fund.

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